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PATENT

Applicant : Martine Fennelly
App. No. : 10/692,835
Filed : October 23, 2003
For : **RIDING APPARATUS AND METHOD**
Examiner : Nguyen, Son T.
Group Art Unit: 3643




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January 24, 2008
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith in the above-entitled application are the following:

- (X) Amendment and Response to Office Action (19 pages).
- (X) Applicant hereby requests a ONE-MONTH extension of time in responding to the Patent Office communication mailed September 24, 2007.
- (X) New Drawing Sheet (Figure 3g) (1 sheet).
- (X) A small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.

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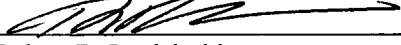
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CLAIMS AS FILED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	31	MINUS	65	= 0 X	\$ 25	= \$0
Independent Claims	9	MINUS	14	= 0 X	\$105	= \$0
If application has been amended to contain multiple dependent claim(s), then add					\$185	= \$0
(Select only one)				one month	\$ 60	= \$60
Time Extension Fees:				two months	\$230	= \$0
				three months	\$525	= \$0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$60.00

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account No. 501423. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2007 ("Office Action"), the following is provided: